

EVERY FRONT NOW ALIVE WITH FIERCE FIGHTING

Germans Have Started Another Offensive On Baltic Against Russians

ITALIANS HAVE CAPTURED 13,000

Great Offensive of Italians Continues Despite Stubborn Resistance of Germans; British Penetrate Third of Mile On Two Mile Front Along Ypres-Menin Road; Canadians Repulse All Counter Attacks By Enemy and Progress Further Around Lens; French Corral Teutons Southwest of Verdun.

The great offensive of the Italians from the region of Tolmino, on the head of the Adriatic sea is progressing, despite the stubborn resistance of the Austrians and the difficulty of the terrain.

Meanwhile the British and French forces in Belgium again have made progress against the Germans and have also held, notwithstanding most violent counter attacks, all the ground won in recent fighting.

On the eastern front, near the important Russian port of Riga, on the Baltic, the Germans have started what may turn out to be another big offensive and also are attacking along the southeast in the vicinity of Dvinsk and further south near Brody and Tarnopol in northern East Galicia.

Italians Capture 13,000. Already the Italian offensive has resulted in the capture of 13,000 prisoners and 50 guns and gains of great importance have been made all along the line. The Italian warships, which are aiding in the attack, at the head of the Gulf of Trieste, have switched their guns from the battle line and showered shells on Trieste, the big Austrian port, which is the objective of the Italians.

The Austrians admit victories by the Italians and the capture of the town of Selo, but assert that the two offensive cost the Italians thousands of men killed or wounded, in addition to more than 6,500 prisoners.

Canadians Still Make Gains. Not alone have the Canadians repulsed all German counter attacks near Lens, but they have taken additional positions from the enemy in the region of the important coal center. In Ypres in Flanders, the British have penetrated the German line to a considerable depth. On both these sectors the furious fighting is still going on.

Tuesday night and Wednesday morning saw the German crown prince delivering heavy counter attacks against the newly won French positions southwest of Verdun.

Germans Give Up Successes. These positions, however, shortly afterward were relinquished to General Foch's men under fierce onslaught. North and northeast of Verdun the Germans made similar attempts to recapture lost ground, but the artillery and rifle fire of the Frenchmen forced them to desist. Wednesday afternoon found the Germans apparently corralled as the result of their unsuccessful efforts.

More than 6,000 Germans have been made prisoners during the three days of fighting in the Verdun region. On the Aisne front Crown Prince William still continues his attacks along the Chemin des Dames and adjacent territory, but nowhere has he been able to dent the French line.

New Offensive By Teutons. East of Riga, between the Tirul marshes and the river Aea, the Germans in a new offensive have forced back the Russian advance guard from one to two miles. They also have begun bombardments southeast of Dvinsk and in northwestern Galicia, near Brody and Tarnopol where the Russians are still maintaining the line.

Aerial bombing raids of great intensity are still being carried out by the British and French aviators over the German positions in Belgium. Zeebrugge, the German submarine base in northwestern Belgium, is reported to have been heavily bombed again. In fights in the air the British Tuesday accounted for 17 German aircraft, but 12 of their own machines failed to return.

British Make Important captures. London, England, Aug. 22.—The British troops attacking fiercely again today, have captured important strategic positions for a mile along the Ypres-Menin road to a depth of nearly one-third of a mile and further to the north carried forward their front about 1½ miles over a front of two miles.

The fighting was of the most desperate nature, the prisoners taken bearing small ratio to the losses inflicted on the Germans.

Grand headquarters of the French army in France, Tuesday, Aug. 21, by the Associated Press.—The French today held all the advantages gained and made a further push forward, capturing large numbers of prisoners, bringing the total to more than 6,000. The bombardment maintained was of the most unprecedented violence, especially on the left bank of the Meuse where the Germans resisted strongly with the aid of fresh troops hurriedly brought to the front.

Hundreds Desert. Along the valley of the Meuse hundreds of Germans deserted, one large batch coming in with mail for their comrades who surrendered yesterday morning. Going forward with the utmost vigor and bravery the French took a long series of trenches after bloody hand to hand fighting in which they drove the Germans before them.

During the first day of the battle when the double summit of the famous La Mort Homme was attacked by Zouaves and carried with magnificent courage the French troops reached the German batteries and blew up the gigantic mortars. It was on the right bank of the Meuse where the most progress was made. The French were obliged to change wearing gas masks and within an hour had charged 3,000 yards and held it all despite a furious rain of shells.

The troops tonight are so pleased with their great victory that they demand to be left to go forward to drive the Germans further back.

Philadelphia Navy Workers Are Loyal. TELL SECRETARY DANIELS THEY WILL NOT STRIKE. Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—Early cooperation with the government in all its plans for the war, was pledged to Secretary Daniels today by 16,700 mechanics and all of the civil employees of the Philadelphia Navy Yard. A delegation of the men presented a memorial signed by all of the 7,000 to do their fullest duty to the country at this time.

This reassuring message came as rumors were being discussed of a threatened strike at the Brooklyn navy yard. There has been no official information of impending difficulties and it is believed that the revised pay schedule to be put into effect probably next month will remove any dissatisfaction that may prevail but the joint board receiving reports from all navy yards expects to make its report soon.

The memorial said in part: "We promise to stand by you shoulder to shoulder, carrying out measures for the development of our navy and particularly for the development of this navy yard. We promise to notify you of superior or any expectation of trouble in this navy yard."

Secretary Daniels was visibly affected by the memorial.

SET UP NEW TRACK RECORD

Third Heat of Free for All Paced in 2:02½ by Miss Harris M.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 22.—Single G. Fred Jamison's pacer by Anderson's Wilkes, suffered his first defeat of the season today when he was bested by Miss Harris M. in straight heats in the free for all pace, the feature event of the day. The third heat was stepped in 2:02½, a new track record. The first two heats were won in 2:06 and 2:06½ but did not satisfy the judges and after Geers and Jamison, had been called to the stand, the third was reeled off at a faster clip.

The event for three-year-olds brought out seven and Bertha McGuire was an easy winner.

The 2:15 pace went to Majory K in three heats, the fastest of which was 2:07½. The best race of the day was the 2:09 trot won by Sister Strong. This was also a three heat victory, but Valentine had to drive his mare in the second heat in 2:06½ to win.

BROWN SAYS PERKINS MUST BE WITHDRAWN

STATE FOOD BILL NEVER WILL PASS TILL THEN

Albany, Aug. 22.—There will be no difficulty in enacting the food control bill now before the legislature if the personality of George W. Perkins, supposed choice of Governor Whitman for food controller, is eliminated, Elton R. Brown, majority leader of the senate, said today.

"The people up state," Senator Brown said, "are up in arms against Mr. Perkins and object to any food control that might be administered by him. If Mr. Perkins wants to serve the country let him enlist now by eliminating himself from the food situation in this state."

It was predicted about the senate chamber today that if the bill were passed the senate would refuse to confirm the nomination of Mr. Perkins as food controller.

Speaker Thaddeus C. Sweet of the assembly said the small attendance of today was a distinct disappointment to him as he had hoped enough legislators would be present today to complete the legislation this week.

In the senate Majority Leader Brown, after announcing he was sent telegrams by his constituents, said he thought it unbecoming of the legislature to permit the session to last as it has.

We must dispose of the business before us one way or another the senator said.

There was wide divergence of opinion among the members, particularly the assemblymen, as to whether the week's vacation had helped or hindered the bill's passage.

There was a general undercurrent of opinion that the letter and telegram of Food Administrator Hoover, made public by Governor Whitman yesterday, had tempered somewhat the up-state opposition, but this was by no means general. Samuel Fraser of Western New York, who has been one of the most active opponents of the regulatory bill, declared that he had learned from his constituents that the Hoover letter has little effect.

Mr. Fraser said that he and a committee visited Washington yesterday and had held a conference with Food Administrator Hoover.

"At that conference," Mr. Fraser said, "Mr. Hoover told us his views concerning state legislation substantially as expressed in his telegram to Governor Whitman. He supplemented his statement, however, with a declaration that it was not his policy to interfere with state matters. We can hardly reconcile this declaration with the sending of the telegram."

Although the attendance of the legislators was light, opponents of the legislation thronged the capitol corridors. Many of them learned for the first time of the existence of a state anti-lulley law.

SELLES HEADS FIREMEN.

New York, Aug. 22.—John Selles of Yonkers was re-elected president of the New York State Volunteer Firemen's association, at its annual session at Flushing, L. I., today. John H. Mahoney of Lockport was elected first vice president, Arthur B. Wallace of Freeport, second vice president, Thomas Honch of Frankfort, secretary, and John T. Powers of Ossining, treasurer.

Leon Bettlyonnais of Staten Island defeated State Senator George Cromwell of Staten Island for the trusteeship of the firemen's home.

GIBBONS WINS FROM CHIEF. St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 22.—Tommy Gibbons, St. Paul boxer, won by a wide margin from George Chip of Newcastle, Pa., here tonight in a 10-round boxing match. In the opinion of the majority of newspaper men at the ringside.

SHELLS SET MONASTIR AFIRE. London, England, Aug. 22.—Berlin reports to the Exchange Telegraph company say that Monastir has been set on fire by shells, 2,000 of which have been poured into the city.

All Railroad Shipments Up to Lovett



JUDGE ROBERT S. LOVETT.

A new dictator has been added to the list of war executives in Washington. He is Judge R. S. Lovett, executive chairman of the Union Pacific railway. He was selected by the President to take charge of the termination of the priority of railroad shipments. Through the control of railroad shipments, Judge Lovett, under powers to be delegated by the President, will have an all-powerful grip on every industry and business in the country. Probably no other authority vested in the administration by congress under the stress of war gives the government far-reaching control over all the nation's resources.

FORECAST HIGHER TAXES ON INCOMES

WAR PROFITS ALSO MAY PAY GREATER TAX RATES

Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—Senate sentiment for higher taxation of incomes and war profits was given in official expression today by rejection of finance committee recommendations and tentative adoptions of provisions adding 72 million dollars to the war tax levy on individual incomes subject to war tax.

The senate returned to consideration of the committee amendment and voted 74 to 0 for Senator Gerry's amendment to greatly increase taxes on incomes higher than \$500,000, it quickly followed by voting with small majorities to retain the house tax on incomes.

As the revised house bill formerly stood it was designed to raise from incomes \$474,764,000, in addition to the amount collected under the present law. When the senate recessed tonight there was pending Senator La Follette's provision which would increase the individual taxes. The Wisconsin senator also has two other amendments.

That the amendment may be the forerunner of further material increases, was admitted tonight by leaders opposing drastic measures. The sentiment for tax increases is expected to result in a bitter fight over war profit taxes to be taken up next.

The Lenroot amendment retained by the senate on test votes of 35 to 22 makes a flat increase of 25 per cent on the surtaxes on incomes over \$50,000. After the test vote Senator Simmons ceased further opposition.

A call was sent out for the ways and means committee to meet next Monday to begin consideration of the \$115,500,000 war bond and certificate issue.

REFUSE ERIE TELEGRAPHERS

Road Will Not Grant Demands for Higher Wages and Shorter Hours.

New York, Aug. 22.—Demands made upon the Erie railroad by its telegraphers for increased wages, double time for Sunday work, shorter hours and longer vacations have been refused it was announced here today by Vice President Stone of the road.

The reason given was that "the present net earnings of the company are barely sufficient to meet its fixed charges, with no disbursement to the stockholders."

Mr. Stone further states that "since June 1 of the present year the wages of the telegraphers had been increased over 18 per cent. This is as far as the company can now go."

HAS THREE DAY HOLIDAY. New York, Aug. 22.—The board of governors at the stock exchange announced today that the exchange will be closed September 1, the Saturday before Labor day.

G. A. R. MEET NEXT IN OREGON. Boston, Mass., Aug. 22.—Portland, Oregon, was chosen as the 1918 encampment at the end of the fifty-first encampment here of the G. A. R.

MAY FIX PRICES OF ALL WARGOODS

Action on Soft Coal to Be Followed by Anthracite

STEEL IS A PUZZLE

Changing Costs on That Material Make It Impossible to Regulate Price; Commission at Work

Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—At a three hour conference with the federal trade commission today President Wilson took up the whole subject of war prices and went over a detailed report of the commission.

Further measures to control the coal industry came in for discussion, and it was later learned that last night's order fixing a scale of prices of coal at the mine will be followed by fixing of the price of coal from the miner to the consumer.

Before the conference had gone far the commissioners called in experts, who are men of experience in cost accounting work. They explained to the President details of the cost of coal, steel and other materials.

For several days now the President has given his attention almost entirely to the work the federal trade commission is doing. Officials with whom he has consulted are of the opinion that a definite price must be made in the near future.

Cannot Fix Steel Price.

The trade commission's steel investigation revealed that it is almost impossible to fix a price for steel, as it was done in coal. Varying prices in different plants makes it impossible to make a definite price and then, too, costs are constantly changing.

The chief disadvantage of this suggestion is that it provides no plan for protecting the public in its purchases. The administration, however, is understood to be falling behind the Pomerehne bill pending in congress which would give the government virtually the same power for fixing prices on steel and other materials as it has done on coal. Anthracite, it is understood, will be taken up and prices fixed throughout the industry. At present anthracite prices at the mines are being kept down by a voluntary arrangement reached some months ago by the producers with the federal trade commission.

To Co-operate With Government.

The executive committee of the National Coal Operatives association, after a meeting here today, called a meeting of the coal operators for Wednesday next to discuss the situation.

The following letter was sent: "In view of the action of the President in reference to the bituminous industry of the country, as reported in the morning papers, it is deemed of great importance that the coal operators of the United States meet as soon as possible to consider conditions under which the operators and producers are asked to operate."

Reports tonight that the operators in some districts were complaining that the mines cannot be operated at the prices fixed, caused officials little concern.

AVIATORS MOURN COMRADE

American Flyers of Lafayette Squadron Mourn Because He Has Not Returned.

Grand Headquarters of the French army in France, Aug. 22.—(By the Associated Press)—The American aviators who have taken such an active part in the battle around Verdun, are still mourning today over the disappearance of Corporal Harold Willis of Boston, who was brought down behind the German lines several days ago, during the height of the battle. While the fate of Willis, who is regarded as one of the best American pilots, is unknown, it is thought that he possibly may have landed and been made a prisoner. As his machine went down it was seen to straighten out as it reached the ground.

Walter Lovell of the Lafayette flying squadron brought down a German aeroplane Monday and Walter S. Rheno of Boston sent down another. Sergeant Andre C. Campbell and Corporal James R. Doolittle both gained the French war Cross recently for aerial achievement and Doolittle has now been proposed for the British medal.

LABOR TO GIVE SENTIMENTS.

New York, Aug. 22.—Henry L. Slodkin, chairman of the Socialist party in New York state, sent a letter to Chester M. Wright, secretary of the provisional conference committee, endorsing the patriotic meeting to be held at Minneapolis, Minn., September 6 to allow organized labor to express its sentiment as to the war.

THE MAKE ISLAND EXPLOSION.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—The report of the naval board which investigated the recent fatal magazine explosion at Mare Island navy yard has reached the navy department and its substance probably will be made public soon.

SHIPPING LOSSES LITTLE HIGHER

Twenty Ships Sunk Last Week Against Nineteen Week Before.

London, England, Aug. 22.—The number of British merchantmen sunk by submarines or mines in the past week was only slightly larger than the previous week, when a considerable falling off was noted. According to the official statement 15 vessels of more than 1,600 tons were sunk and 3 vessels of less than 1,600 tons, in addition to 2 fishing vessels, as compared with 14 large vessels the previous week, 2 small vessels and 3 fishermen.

The admiralty statement issued tonight says:

"Arrivals, 2,835; sailings, 2,764. 'British merchantmen sunk by mines or submarines over 1,600 tons, including 1 previously, 15; under 1,600 tons, 3.

"British merchantmen unsuccessfully attacked, including 2 previously, 12.

"British fishermen sunk, 2."

U-BOAT SUNK CAMPANA WHEN SHELLS GAVE OUT

HOISTED FLAG OF TRUCE BUT GERMAN FIRED ON

An Atlantic port, Aug. 22.—The Standard oil tank steamer Campana, whose captain and five of the navy gunners were taken prisoner by a German submarine on August 6, surrendered to the U-boat but only because she had not another shot left to fire. She had sent 180 shells at the submarine.

This was the story told by J. H. Bruce, third mate of the Campana, who with 40 other members of the Campana's crew and eight gunners, arrived here today on a French steamship. The battle began at 5 a. m. and continued for three hours.

The U-boat fired 400 shots, only two of which hit the mark. The Campana, nevertheless, was outgunned by the guns with which the submarine was equipped. The U-boat also was fully as speedy as the American vessel.

After the Campana hoisted the international signal of surrender her last shell was gone. Nevertheless the submarine continued to fire and the crew took to the boats.

The U-boats first approached the boat containing Bruce. He then went to the lifeboat occupied by Captain Oliver of the tanker and took him prisoner.

Having room enough for only six additional men on his craft the German skipper took only five other men aboard his boat.

The submarine was the U-2. Bruce did not learn the commander's name. The German told him, he said, that he had first fired a torpedo at the Campana but had missed.

The Campana was sent to the bottom by bombs after the crew had been allowed to return and get their personal effects. Directions were given by the submarine commander to Bruce how to reach the nearest port.

The submarine commander also told Bruce that he had heard the wireless signals of two French warships and warned him not to be picked up by them.

"I am going to send them to the bottom," he said.

Bruce, however, did permit himself to be picked up when he met a French warship.

The names of the gunners taken prisoner were: James Dalaney, chief gunner's mate, William Miller, seaman, Fred Jacobs, seaman, Ray Booth, boatswain's mate, second class; and Charles Kline, the gunner's mate.

TRAP SHOOTING CHAMPIONSHIPS

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 22.—Two championships were decided today in the grand American trap shooting tournament, the national amateur and the doubles. Mark Arne of Thomasboro, Ill., won the amateur championship with a perfect score and Clarence B. Platt of Bridgeton, N. J., won the doubles championship, scoring 96 out of 100 pairs.

The professional event was won by H. D. Gibbs of Union City, Tenn., with 59. The special event for women was won by Mrs. A. H. Winkler of Chicago, with 47 of 50.

In the doubles F. S. Wright of Buffalo scored 92.

STOP CONSTRUCTION OF CAMP.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 22.—Construction work on the National Guard camp at Palo Alto, Cal., was ordered suspended by the war department today as a result of the insistence of the local health authorities that sewers be installed in the camp.

Army officers regard this as an unnecessary expense for a temporary camp and it is said the sites may be abandoned if the health authorities require the sewers.

MORGAN SELLS BRITISH BILLS.

New York, Aug. 22.—J. P. Morgan & Co., acting for the British government, announced here today the sale of \$15,000,000 90-day treasury bills at a discount of 5½ per cent. It is the intention of the bankers to make weekly issues of these bills.

JAPAN MAY HELP WITH SHIPPING

Her Merchant Fleet May Carry Food; Fleet Patrol Pacific

MISSION AT CAPITAL

Has No Commercial or Political Errand But As Envoy of Nation Fighting Common Enemy

Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—Japan's mission to the United States, bearing a message of congratulation and appreciation to President Wilson from the Emperor and people of Japan, was welcomed at Washington today with warmth and enthusiasm by the public.

Passing through the streets thronged with people as long lines of school children dressed in white with the red sun of Japan on the front, the commissioners were escorted to the residence of Perry Belmont. Tomorrow they will make the formal calls which must precede the official conferences being arranged for them, and in the evening they will dine with the President.

Viscount Ishii spoke to the newspapers this afternoon of his gratification at the reception given to the mission at all its stops in America.

Pleased to Be at Capital.

"To say I am pleased to be in Washington would be too conventional. I am delighted, we are all delighted at the cordial spirit tendered us everywhere. I am speaking to the gentlemen of the newspaper press which yields such enormous power in this country."

The mission, it is authoritatively explained, has not come on a commercial or political errand, but to greet the United States as a brother nation fighting a common enemy, and to confer as to the best way for the nations to fight this enemy.

Among the most important problem is that of the disposition Japanese shipping with a view to making it of the greatest assistance in the war. Already Japanese vessels have been carrying war cargoes to all parts of the world.

Ready to Render Aid.

It is understood that Japan stands ready to render additional assistance. America becomes an important factor in meeting this demand because the Japanese cannot build the ships needed for this trade without an adequate amount of structural steel from the United States.

An important secondary consideration is that of freight rates and it remains to be seen whether the Japanese ship owners can be induced to content themselves with more moderate profits than they have been making in the past, thus conforming to the rates laid down by England and the United States.

Another war measure which the commission is expected to discuss will be the enlargement of Japanese naval service. Already the Japanese have released the British from patrolling in the Pacific and in keeping down the submarine activities in the Mediterranean. It is suggested that the aid of the Japanese might be enlisted to patrol the whole pacific from shore to shore.

MCCORMACK IS MADE EXPORT CONTROLLER

ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD TAKES OVER EXPORT CONTROL

Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—Control of exports heretofore administered by the department of commerce was given by President Wilson today to the export administrative board, of which Vance McCormack is chairman.

The change gives unusual powers to the administrative board, which was formed to serve as an advisory board of the export council, comprising the secretaries of states, commerce and agriculture and the food administrator.

The export control of the espionage act was put into operation more than a month ago. The administration board has done much toward shaping an administrative policy. Members of the administrative board, it is said, have considered the system too cumbersome and they suggested that the board itself carry out regulations and issue licenses. The suggestion was put up to the expert council which approved it unanimously.

BURLESON BARS "MASSES."

Washington, D. C., Aug. 22.—The MASSES, a Socialist magazine, published in New York, was denounced by Postmaster General Burleson as communicated to the senate today. He mentioned the Jeffersonian, of which Thomas E. Watson is editor, as in the same class. Mr. Burleson has declined to give more specific reasons for barring the publication from the mails.

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

ROBINSONS WIN 22 INNING GAME.

New Record Set Up in National League for Long Game.

Brooklyn, Aug. 22. — Brooklyn beat Pittsburgh today by 6 to 5 in 22 innings. The game broke the National league long distance record of 21 innings set by New York and Pittsburgh in 1914. With one out in the twenty-second Hickman drew a base on balls from Jacobs and reached second on O'Rourke's single.

Cheney pitched from the sixth to the twentieth, inclusive. In the twentieth Cheney singled and collided with Ward when forced at second. He was knocked out and carried off but soon revived. Marquard finished and was the winning pitcher. A second game was on the schedule but was called off because of darkness after two innings.

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Batteries — Cooper, Jacobs and W. Wagner, Smith; Cadore, Cheney, Marquard and Miller.

BRAVES TAKE LAST OF SERIES.

Home Run with Two on and Ketchy's Suck Work Feature Game.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 22. — Boston won the last game of the series from St. Louis today by a score of 6 to 1. A home run by Powell in the first inning with Kelly and Maranville on base and two triples and a single by Ketchy in three times at bat were the features.

St. Louis
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Boston
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Batteries — Dock, Watson, Mayes and Gonzales; Walsh, Neft and Myers.

PHILLIES GIVE CUBS GOOSE EGG.

Alexander Pitches Great Ball and Team Makes Bat Hard.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 22. — Hard hitting and Alexander's excellent pitching gave Philadelphia a 5 to 0 victory over Chicago today. In the fourth inning the home team piled up four runs and home run drives by Stock and Cravath followed by singles by Luderus and Whitted, a base on balls to Killifer and Paakert's single.

Chicago
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Philadelphia
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Batteries — Prendergast, Hendrix and Elliott; Alexander and Killifer.

GIANTS SHUT OUT CINCINNATI.

Sensational Pitching Make 3 to 0 Victory Over Reds.

New York, Aug. 22. — New York played sensational ball behind Benton's fine pitching and shut out Cincinnati in the last game of the series by a score of 3 to 0. Benton allowed only four hits.

Cincinnati
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New York
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Batteries — Snyder and Wingo; Benton and Arden.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

MAKE WHITE SOX SHORTER.

Boston Red Sox Cut Head of Chicago to Two Games by 5 to 1 Victory.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 22. — Boston cut Chicago's lead down to two games today when they won the final game of the series, 5 to 1, in a loosely played game, thereby getting an even break in the series.

Claude Williams was unsteady throughout the game and finally gave

way to Danforth after the bases were filled in the seventh inning. The visitors scored their first run in the second inning.

Chicago made its lone run in the fifth inning.

As a result of today's game the standing of the leaders is: Chicago, won 71, lost 46, per cent. 617. Boston, won 70, lost 46, per cent. 602.

Batteries — Leonard and Agnew; Williams, Danforth and Schaik.

WHITEWASH YANKS ON TWO HITS.

Detroit Makes Two Runs in the Sixth Inning While James Holds New York.

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 22. — Detroit only got two hits off Cullip and none off Mogridge, but won from New York today, 2 to 0. Both runs were scored in the sixth.

New York
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Detroit
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Batteries — Cullip, Mogridge and Walters; Nunamaker, James and Spencer.

INDIANS CLEAN UP QUAKERS.

Take Every Game of Series, Winning the Final One, 6 to 5.

Cleveland, Ohio, Aug. 22. — Cleveland made a clean sweep of the series with Philadelphia, winning 6 to 5. Cleveland made all its runs off Bush, whom it drove from the box in the fifth inning.

Philadelphia
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Cleveland
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Batteries — Bush, Johnson, Seibold and Hayley; Czeleski, Lambeth, Coumbe and O'Neill.

SENATORS DIVIDE WITH ST. LOUIS.

Washington Takes First Game 2 to 1; St. Louis Scores 9 to 5 in Second.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 22. — Washington won the first game of today's doubleheader with St. Louis 2 to 1. St. Louis won the second 9 to 4. In the first game Washington outlasted St. Louis 7 to 4.

Washington
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St. Louis
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Batteries — Harper, Johnson and Ainsmith; Groom, Rogers and Severoid.

Second game—
Washington
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St. Louis
500110002x—9 9 0

Batteries — Dumont, Gallia and Ainsmith; Davenport and Severoid.

A Three Months' subscription to The Star for \$1.00.

It Works! Try It

Tells how to loosen a sore, tender corn so it lifts out without pain.

Good news spreads rapidly and drug stores here are kept busy dispensing freezine, the other discovery of a Cincinnati man, which is said to loosen any corn so it lifts out with the fingers.

Ask at any pharmacy for a quarter ounce of freezine, which will cost very little, but is said to be sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

You apply just a few drops on the tender, aching corn and instantly the soreness is relieved, and soon the corn is so softened that it lifts out without pain. It is a sticky substance which dries when applied and never inflames or even irritates the adjoining tissue.

This discovery will prevent thousands of deaths annually from lockjaw and infection heretofore resulting from the suicidal habit of cutting corns.

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STATE LEAGUE

R H E

At Binghamton—
Scranton
0000000300—3 12 7
Binghamton
008111113x—15 18 1

Batteries — Buckles and Brannon; Bills and Murphy.

At Wilkes-Barre—
Reading
0100000010—2 7 2
Wilkes-Barre
0002340x—11 13 2

Batteries — Divinney and Brieger; Cuts and Snyder.

Elmira-Syracuse postponed, wet grounds.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

R H E

At Buffalo (first game) . . . 6 13 1
Baltimore . . . 2 8 3

At Buffalo (second game) . . . 7 7 1
Baltimore . . . 9 18 1

At Toronto (first game) . . . 2 9 0
Newark . . . 3 8 2

At Toronto (second game) . . . 3 11 1
Newark . . . 2 5 1

At Rochester . . . 11 15 1
Richmond . . . 3 11 1

At Montreal . . . 4 9 3
Providence . . . 6 11 2

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St. Paul, 3; Minneapolis, 2. (First game).

St. Paul, 4; Minneapolis, 2. (Second game).

No other games scheduled.

STANDING OF CLUBS.

National League.

W. L. P.C.
New York . . . 71 39 .546
Philadelphia . . . 59 48 .551

St. Louis . . . 60 54 .526
Cincinnati . . . 63 58 .521

Chicago . . . 58 57 .504
Brooklyn . . . 53 57 .482

Boston . . . 46 59 .438
Pittsburgh . . . 37 75 .330

American League.

W. L. P.C.
Chicago . . . 74 46 .617
Boston . . . 70 46 .603

Cleveland . . . 66 56 .541
Detroit . . . 60 58 .508

New York . . . 55 69 .442
Washington . . . 55 60 .478

St. Louis . . . 46 73 .388
Philadelphia . . . 42 70 .375

State League.

W. L. P.C.
Wilkes-Barre . . . 29 12 .707
Syracuse . . . 27 13 .675

Elmira . . . 24 18 .571
Binghamton . . . 19 19 .500

Reading . . . 13 27 .325
Scranton . . . 10 33 .232

ONEONTA MARKET.

Prices Paid Producers.

Butter, fresh dairy . . . 39@40
Butter, creamery . . . 41@42

Eggs, fresh laid, dozen . . . 40
Cheese, lb. . . . 25

Live poultry . . . 16
Spring chickens, broilers . . . 20

Dressed pork . . . 13@20
Dressed beef . . . 12@14

Veal, grain fed . . . 13@14
Veal, sweet milk calves . . . 16@17

Grain and Feeds.

(Prices Charged at Retail).

Salt, barrel . . . \$2.10
Corn . . . \$2.14

Corn meal, cwt. . . \$3.33
Spring wheat middlings . . . \$2.63

Hominy . . . \$3.48
Flour middlings . . . \$3.03

Hides.

(Quoted by Miller Hide Co.)

Green hides . . . 17
Bull Hides over 60 lbs. . . 14

Horse hides . . . \$5.04
Dairy skins . . . \$1.50 to \$2.00

Veal skins . . . \$2.25 to \$4.50
Wool . . . 60

Oats . . . 99

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, by the Grace of God free and independent.

To Frank Pratt, Hartwick Seminary, N. Y.; Stanley Pratt, Lindholm, N. Y.; Maud Hollenbeck, Youngs, N. Y.; Ralph Nearing, Mr. Vision, N. Y.; Luella Pratt, 810 West Helen avenue, Syracuse, N. Y.; George Pratt, 510 West Helen avenue, Syracuse, N. Y.; William Holt, Mulberry, Kansas; Edgar Pratt, Mulberry, Kansas; Loretta Holt, Mulberry, Kansas; and Larinda Holt, Mulberry, Kansas.

Upon the petition of Sarah A. Sigbee, of Oneonta, N. Y., respondent, you are hereby cited to show cause before the surrogate of the county of Otsego, at the surrogate's office in the city of Cooperstown, on the sixth day of September, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why a decree should not be granted admitting to probate a certain instrument in writing as the last will and testament of John Sigbee, late of the town of Oneonta, said county, deceased, as a valid will of said decedent, and also to show cause why letters testamentary should not issue thereon.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of our said surrogate's court to be hereunto affixed.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

New York Markets.

New York, Aug. 22.—The action of the government in enforcing reduced prices for soft coal, with the belief that similar proceedings are to be instituted in regard to anthracite, created widespread uneasiness on the stock exchange today.

Coal and shares which derive the greater part of their revenue from the transportation of that commodity, reacted sharply at extreme declines of 2 to 7 points. Delaware, Lackawanna and Western declined 10 points.

Labor conditions in their bearing upon the ship building situation and reports of a fresh Teutonic offensive against Russia were among the additional developments used by the bears to depress values.

War issues and many stocks having no relation to that division, were under incessant liquidation. Severe reverses were sustained by steels, coppers, equipments and sugars, and many unclassified shares declined, extending from 2 to 5 points.

The money market reflected to an extent the nervous state of the security lists, call loans ruling at 3 per cent. Time loans were unchanged.

U. S. steel declined to 123 1/2, closing at that quotation, a net loss of 31 points. Total sales amounted to 770,000 shares.

Bonds were heavier. Liberty's 3 1/2's selling at 99.88 to 99.98. Total bond sales (par value) aggregated \$2,285,000.

United States bonds (old issues) were unchanged on call.

New York Produce.

Butter—Steady. Receipts, 18,988 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 42 1/2 @ 43; creamery, extras, 32 score. 42; firsts, 40 1/2 @ 42 1/2; seconds, 38 1/2 @ 40.

Eggs—Firm. Receipts, 13,011 cases. Fresh gathered, extras, 44 @ 45; extra firsts, 42 @ 43; firsts, 39 @ 41; seconds, 35 @ 38; state, Pennsylvania and nearby western henneries whites, fine to fancy, 54 @ 55; state, Pennsylvania and nearby western henneries browns, 46 @ 48.

Cheese—Irrregular. Receipts, 2,883 boxes. State fresh specials, 23 1/2 @ 24; do average run, 23 @ 23 1/2.

Live poultry—Firm. No prices quoted. Dressed, weak; chickens, 20 @ 27; fowls, 18 @ 28. Turkeys, 18 @ 32.

New York Meats.

Beef—Receipts, 1,630 head. Market steady. Steers, \$5.50 @ 14.00; bulls, \$5.00 @ 9.50; cows, \$4.25 @ 8.75.

Calves—Receipts, 1,368 head. Market steady. Veals, \$13.00 @ 17.00; culis, \$10.00 @ 12.00; grassers and skum milk calves, \$5.00 @ 10.50; western calves, \$11.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,850 head. Market firm. Sheep, \$6.00 @ 10.50; culis, \$4.50 @ 5.50; lambs, \$12.00 @ 16.65.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,390 head. Market firm at \$19.00 @ 19.25; roughs, \$17.00.

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Corn

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 2,000 PHYSICIANS
ASSESSORS' REPORT OF REAL PROPERTY EX-
EMPT FROM TAXATION, 1917

County of Otsego

City of Oneonta

Name of Individual, Corporation or Association.	Purposes Used For.	Amount of Exemption
The United States	Post Office	\$ 95,000
State of New York	Normal School—Educational	250,000
State of New York	Armory—Military	75,000
State of New York	Normal School—Playground	2,000
State of New York	Normal School—Playground	100
City of Oneonta	City Hall—Municipal	65,000
City of Oneonta	High School—Educational	125,000
City of Oneonta	Center Street School—Educational	15,000
City of Oneonta	Chestnut Street School—Educational	20,000
City of Oneonta	River Street School—Educational	18,000
City of Oneonta	East End School—Educational	7,500
City of Oneonta	Wilber Park—Park purposes	20,000
City of Oneonta	Neavah Park—Park purposes	12,000
City of Oneonta	Public Library	5,000
City of Oneonta	Vacant lot—Municipal	100
Fox Memorial Hospital Association	Hospital—Hospital purposes	20,000
Fox Memorial Hospital Association	Nurses' Home—Hospital purposes	8,000
Fox Memorial Hospital Association	Nurses' Home—Hospital purposes	1,800
Young Men's Christian Association	Y. M. C. A.—Religious purposes	15,000
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Grandstand	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Restaurant	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Horse barn	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Horse barn	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Horse stables	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Hay barn	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Floral hall	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Cattle sheds	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Poultry house	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Ticket office	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Band stand	
Oneonta Union Agricultural Society	Toilet—Agricultural purposes	25,000
English Lutheran Society	Church—Religious purposes	5,000
First Baptist Society	Church—Religious purposes	22,000
Free Will Baptist Society	Church—Religious purposes	15,000
First Presbyterian Society	Church—Religious purposes	40,000
Methodist Episcopal Society	Church—Religious purposes	20,000
Protestant Episcopal Society	Church—Religious purposes	12,000
St. Mary's Church Society	Church—Religious purposes	15,000
United Presbyterian Society	Church—Religious purposes	6,500
Universalist Society	Church—Religious purposes	10,000
First Church of Christ, Scientist	Church—Religious purposes	6,000
West End Baptist Mission	Church—Religious purposes	3,000
Pentecostal Rescue Mission	Church—Religious purposes	3,000
English Lutheran Society	Parsonage—Residential	1,750
First Baptist Society	Parsonage—Residential	2,000
First Presbyterian Society	Parsonage—Residential	2,000
Methodist Episcopal Society	Parsonage—Residential	2,000
Protestant Episcopal Society	Parsonage—Residential	2,000
St. Mary's Church Society	Parsonage—Residential	2,000
United Presbyterian Society	Parsonage—Residential	2,000
Centennial Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 447	I. O. O. F. temple—Fraternal purposes	6,500
Glenwood Cemetery Association	Caretaker's residence, cemetery grounds—burial purposes	75,000
Riverside Cemetery Association	Vault, Cemetery grounds—burial purposes	50,000
St. Mary's Cemetery Association	Cemetery grounds—Burial purposes	11,500
Griffin, Rosalia O., minister's widow	Residential	1,500
Kline, Rev. E. N., minister	Residential	550
Richardson, Rev. A. B., minister	Vacant lot	200
Trauger, Rev. J. C., minister	Vacant lot	150
Pensioners		
Austin, George	Residential	500
Bartow, Emory	Residential	500
Benton, Mary	Residential and barn	1,200
Rutts, Harriet and Edward L.	Residential	575
Cassidy, Caroline	Residential	1,000
Campbell, Delia and Harley	Residential	1,000
Cutshaw, M. L.	Residential	225
Caswell, Thos. C.	Residential	1,700
Elliott, Anna	Residential and barn	450
Ferguson, Mrs. Lyman R.	Residential and barn	1,350
Holcomb, Charles	Residential	900
Ingalls, John C.	Residential and barn	1,000
Jones, Edwin H.	Residential	800
Lawyer, Orlando	Residential and barn	700
Moak, Hannah M.	Vacant	175
Moak, Hannah M.	Residential, barn and shop	400
McDowell, Mary	Residential	1,525
Munson, Hattie	Residential and barn	1,200
Morrison, Chas. E.	Residential and barn	1,550
On, Maggie	Residential	450
Pierce, Frances	Shop	225
Pierce, Frances	Residential and barn	1,000
Gooder, Genevieve	Residential and barn	1,700
Ruffenburg, Silas K.	Residential	600
Rathbone, Emogene	Residential and barn	750
Rouch, Geo. W.	Residential, barn and shop	650
Southam, Frances A.	Residential	2,500
Sts. Christina	Residential	1,550
Vanderburg, Darwin F.	Residential and barn	1,150
VanAistone, Verna	Residential	775
Westcott, C. J.	Residential and barn	1,000
Winn, Clarissa	Residential	1,200
Wager, O. Perry	Residential	925
Wager, T. F.	Residential	1,450
Wood, S. H.	Residential	1,500
Wester, Julia C.	Residential	425
Westcott, R. H.	Residential	700

State of New York,
County of Otsego, ss:
We, the undersigned assessors of the City of Oneonta, county of Otsego,
do hereby certify and swear that the preceding is a true and complete re-
port of all real property situated in the said city exempt from taxation un-
der the laws of this state, July 1, 1917.

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 17 day of August, 1917.
H. M. BARD,
Notary Public.

OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

WEST ONEONTA OFFERINGS.

West Oneonta, Aug. 22.—Harry Cridell and Miss Emma Stoller of Johns-town visited Miss Lina Miller Sunday. —Mr. and Mrs. William Champlin of Oneonta were guests of Raymond Hotelling and family Sunday.—Mrs. Belle Smith of Binghamton has been spending the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. Miller.—Mr. and Mrs. Jay Lent of Otego spent Sunday with George Collar.—Norris Howland has received word that his father, W. P. Howland, is very ill at Johnson City.—Rev. A. Christensen attended the hundredth anniversary of the Meredith Baptist church Sunday afternoon. —Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Manning attended the Lent reunion at Otsdawa.—Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cooper and little son of Oneonta were recent guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cooper.—Mrs. Harriet Sessions and Herbert Arnold and family of Cleveland, Ohio, are visiting at the home of D. and F. Ford Arnold.—Miss Elis Elderkin of Oneonta spent Sunday with Miss Clara Elch.—Miss Irene Hotchkiss has returned home, after spending several weeks in Oneonta.—Miss Mary Brownson spent the past week with relatives in Binghamton.—Miss Mildred Fenton of Watervliet is visiting her friend, Miss Alice Miller.—Mr. and Mrs. Cecil B. Weatherly and J. Lee Weatherly spent Sunday afternoon with Le Grand Scofield and family at Wells Bridge.—Mrs. Lelia Champlin is visiting her friend, Mrs. Seagraves, in Oneonta.—Rev. and Mrs. A. Christensen and son have returned home, after spending several days with relatives at Kent Cliffs.

WESTFORD THIS WEEK.

Westford, Aug. 22.—Mrs. Ira Beams has as her guest her brother, Mr. Olmstead of Illinois. They, with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weldon and a few others, picnicked at Cooperstown Tuesday.—Mrs. Minnie Backus had as her guests Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Bacon and Mr. Hill of Silver Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch and Mrs. Francis Williams of Oneonta.—S. T. Bennett of Springfield, Mass., joined his family here Monday and will spend his vacation here. —This community was much startled last Sunday morning by the news of the very sudden death the night previous of Charles Pitcher of Maple Valley. The funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon. He leaves a wife, formerly Miss Allie Shelland, and an adopted daughter.—The Home Economics club of this place will meet on Friday of this week. Miss Hale will be present and the use of a pressure canner will be demonstrated. —Miss Eunice Hovey of Trenton, N. J., and George H. Skinner of Deansboro are guests at the home of their grandfather, John R. Skinner.

LITTLE LENA LOCALS.

Lena, Aug. 22.—James Balcom and family visited at Everett Sherman's at Mt. Vision Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Balcom and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Peet visited at John Jacob's, near West Oneonta, Sunday. Miss Reva Peet returned home with them, after spending the week with her grandparents.—Mr. and Mrs. Leon Potter and Harold Gregory of Oneonta visited at D. C. Taint's Sunday.—Charles Yager of Oneonta spent part of last week at C. L. Harrington's.—Mr. and Mrs. George Eldred were callers at John Peet's at Gardnertown Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bard and daughter attended the Hickling reunion Thursday.—The Lena grange will hold an ice cream social at the hall Friday evening, August 24. A cordial invitation is extended to every one. Grangers are requested to bring cake.—Professor Hurd of Cornell will give a talk on poultry at George Tilley's August 28. A cordial invitation is extended to all.—Mrs. William Reynolds spent a portion of last week at Gilford, visiting relatives and also attending the family reunion.—Mr. and Mrs. Dean Mack and son visited Sunday with William Mack, Hartwick.

MILFORD CENTER.

Milford Center, Aug. 22.—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jeffrey Tuesday, August 21, an eight-pound daughter. —Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Mackey of Grand George called at C. R. Garlick's Sunday.—Miss Hazel Bliss is spending a few days at her home here.—Mrs. Anna Hayes and son, Ivan, of Binghamton are visiting with I. E. Lamb.—Mr. and Mrs. David Beams and daughter of Oneonta are visiting friends in this place.—Mrs. Homer Hunter of Cooperstown visited her mother, Mrs. Sarah Clark, recently.—Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Lamb and son, Eldred, left Thursday morning for Williamstown, Mass., to visit their son, Emory Lamb.—Mrs. Lizzie Squire was called to Meredith Monday by the death of her father.—Miss Mildred Pashley spent Thursday at the grange picnic in Mt. Vision.—Mrs. Julia Davis and daughter visited at Mark Edson's near Oneonta, last week.—Mrs. Jeffrey and son, Howard, are spending a few days in New York.

MARYLAND MATTERS.

Maryland, Aug. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. John Lampman and Mr. and Mrs. John Lampman Jr. of Port Ewan are guests of John McKown. Mr. and Mrs. Lampman were former residents of Maryland. —Mrs. A. Pope of Clayville is visiting with Arthur Cobine.—Mrs. L. J. Swift returned Tuesday from Albany, where she had been visiting her sisters, Mrs. William Smith and Mrs. Robert Beverage.—Mrs. Ida Beers of Peterboro is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Smith.—The Misses Marjorie and Emilie VanZandt are spending the week in Unadilla, visiting their

aunt, Mrs. A. A. Pixley.—Mrs. Leslie Gurney of Portlandville was the guest Saturday of her daughter, Miss Laura Gurney.—Miss Anna Gaffey returned Tuesday from a week's stay with her aunt at Worcester.—Born, August 19, a 12½ pound daughter, Ruth E., to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Decker.—Mrs. William Spencer was called to Cooperstown the first of the week by the death of her sister, Mrs. Jane Lyon. William Spencer, Clifford and Elizabeth Spencer and Channing Spencer attended the funeral in Cooperstown Wednesday.

COLLIERS COMMENT.

Colliers, Aug. 22.—The Sewing circle will meet with Mrs. C. R. Hazard at Cooperstown Junction Friday afternoon, August 24.—Miss Amelia Rifenbark returned to Little Falls Monday, after spending a vacation at her home here.—Miss Mae Shephard of New York city is a guest at the home of her brother, Ray Shephard.—Miss Carrie Page of Mechanicville is spending a few days with Mrs. W. J. Barnes.—Miss Eliza Cowell is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Quackenbush.

WELLS BRIDGE WARBLINGS.

Wells Bridge, Aug. 22.—The Home Economics club will meet at Sisson's hall Saturday, at 2 p. m. Miss Mabel Copley will demonstrate.—The annual picnic and reunion of the Sisson and Earl families will be held in John

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Yonkers Grove August 29.—Mr. and Mrs. William Sisson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bouck, with Fred Tabor of Unadilla visited Watkins Glen and Ithaca Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harwood returned from Virginia Sunday, making the trip by auto and camping nights.—Mrs. James Collins of Syracuse, with her daughter, Marion Collins, and Miss Clara Holmes arrived Monday for a visit with friends in this vicinity.—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pratt of Nunda were callers in the place on Saturday.

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

THE NEWS IN HOBART.

Band Concert a Fine Success — Late News Notes.

Hobart, August 22.—The band concert given in Grant's hall Monday evening by the recently organized Hobart band, drew a large audience and was a fine success. The boys played extremely well and showed that their three months of practice has been given careful attention by every member of the organization. The band was assisted by several soloists from other parts of the county. That Hobart is to have a good band is a source of satisfaction to its citizens. The receipts of the concert were about \$45.

Granite Is Arriving.
The first carload of granite for the receiving vault in Locust Hill cemetery has arrived. The work of putting in the foundation has commenced. Dauley & Wright of Oneonta are the contractors.

Many Workers at Meeting.
A large number of Red Cross workers attended the meeting at Mrs. W. H. Sheffield's residence yesterday af-

ternoon and a great amount of work was accomplished. There is still need for old linen and muslin and all who have these materials are asked to contribute.

News Notes.

The Hobart High school building is undergoing a thorough cleaning preparatory to the opening of school September 4.—Mrs. E. A. Ackley and son, Ferdinand, left yesterday for a visit of two weeks with Mrs. J. K. Ackley at New London, Conn.

TOLD IN TREADWELL.

Treadwell, Aug. 22.—Mrs. Ida W. Potter and Miss Marguerite of Otego are spending a few days with E. L. Wilcox. Miss Dorothy Verguson, who has been attending the session of summer school in Oneonta, is also a guest at this home.—Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Jackson are away on an auto trip, visiting various relatives in New Jersey.—A Red Cross meeting will be held Friday afternoon at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage.—Miss L. Frances Clark of Walton, the Del-

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Oneonta Dept. Store, Inc.

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ON WALL STREET

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Second Day of the
"August Clearance Sale"

Prices were never more attractive. Values were never more apparent, the assortment was never better.

In addition to the Shoe items listed in Tuesday's Adv. we offer:—

24 pairs Women's plain toe Black Kid Bals., sizes 4 to 8, at . . . \$1.87

20 pairs Men's Veal Calf Blucher Work Shoes, all sizes, at . . . \$1.33

12 pairs Men's White Canvas "Parade" Pumps at . . . \$1.37

10 pairs Women's Black Canvas, one strap Sandals, sizes 3 to 7, at . . . \$1.19

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TWO "WHY NOT?" EDITORIALS.

Enrolling State's Idlers.

In the state of Maryland the work of enrolling the unemployed began on Monday, when the courts of the counties and cities began the task of listing idlers. Every man without a definite job must register if he is between the ages of 18 and 50 years; and his job will follow through the medium of a federal employment agent. The enrollment is mandatory under the Maryland compulsory work law. Its purpose is to gather in the non-workers and idlers so that they may be assigned to some very necessary work to maintain the nation's fighting forces. Every non-worker is a liability in the eyes of the law and he will be enrolled and given a place in a producing capacity.

Why should not the example of Maryland be extensively followed throughout the United States? There are genuine slackers in Oneonta and in every village, town and community, rural or otherwise, in the state. They do not work, they cannot be induced to work, no matter how great the compensation offered. They prefer in many instances to hang about saloons, grafting for drinks and complaining of the high price of things. In others they are just plain slackers, suffering merely from ingrained idleness. In both cases they should be set to work and made to produce. When the rest of the nation, and of the world, is straining every nerve and muscle, it is up to the constitutional slackers to get to work.

Why should not the special session of the legislature, now convened to consider the food problem, make the employment of idlers one phase of its duties?

Duplication of Effort.

In days when everybody is being urged to do his bit, which means all that he can for the country, does it not appear that something of effort and possibly of confusion might be saved if there was a little less duplication of effort? There is not a newspaper office, there is probably not the mail of many private individuals, unneeded with appeals for one or another charitable war purpose, all on letter heads bearing the imposing names of directors, of officers and possibly at the end of actual secretaries. They are all working for a good purpose, but in many instances the line of effort merges into that of another organization; and what two or a half-dozen are doing might just as well be done by so much "overboard" by one body, the extra officers and even workers being released thereby for other duties at home or in the trenches.

If, for example, the United States Department of Agriculture and the state department of like name, give definite directions through the press and the farm bureaus and to individuals directly relative to the best methods of canning and drying and preserving, there is little apparent use for several unattached bodies doing the same thing. If there is a general committee for relief in any war-devastated country, why should it not have in hand all phases of that relief and not be running alongside in its work with other bodies working on side lines of the same purpose? If the navy undertakes to handle special contributions for the men of that branch, why should navy leagues and other maritime organizations not become direct branches of the government plan, instead of trying to work independently? Since the Red Cross has charge of a certain very important phase of effort in the war, why should it not handle all that work for both army and navy? Since the Y. M. C. A. is to have stations everywhere, why should not every other phase of activity in the same line be correlated with it?

Briefly, why should we not save rent, time, money, stationery, postage and the general run of overhead charges by consolidation of governmental and private plans, which, running on like lines, inevitably result in duplication of effort?

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

Where the Chancellor Stands.

In 1914 the present German chancellor wrote an article dealing with what he termed "the miserable baseness of parliamentarism in England and of the republican constitution of France," and asking "Who will dare to touch the Emperor's military authority?" The publication of this contribution to the literature of popular rule at this time gives a clue to the widely advertised "triumph of democracy" achieved by the installation of Dr. George Michaelis as chancellor.—(New York Sun.)

Whom the World Calls Efficient.

Before now the United States will have 1,500,000 men under arms in this country and 100,000 in France; it will have sent several billions' worth of war supplies abroad upon credits extended by the American government itself in the form of war loans; it will have a navy as large as Germany's in the service of the entente; it will have brought by simple force of friendship all of Latin Amer-

ica into malevolent or belligerent relations with Germany; it will have created an animosity of Germany so widespread and enduring that German trade will suffer from it for generations. These losses are the deliberate sacrifice of German statesmanship in return for a submarine campaign which was before this date to bring Great Britain to her knees and which has not so much as compelled the adoption of new economies. What would Bismarck say to management of a nation so grossly incompetent?—(Syracuse Post-Standard.)

Making It Unanimous.

Agricultural losses have increased Argentina's need of help from abroad, and only in the United States can what is required be obtained. The expressed preferences and official action of her neighbors concerning our entrance into the war have weight with her people and government. While her course cannot be clearly foreseen, recent events point to a complete severance of diplomatic relations with Germany, a step which will hasten the coming of that continental agreement or union, with respect to the war, which is so much to be desired.—(New York Times.)

War and the I. W. W.

The I. W. W. has not the confidence of respectable workers. It has repeatedly been rejected or repudiated by the legitimate labor organizations of the east and west, which strongly condemn its methods and the utterances of its speakers. It is to be expected that Rowen and his friends will protest against their arrest by National Guardsmen and their detention as military prisoners. These are war times. If these troublemakers, as charged, told farmers to let their produce rot in the fields, they are as guilty as if they exhorted soldiers to throw down their arms in face of the enemy. There is no necessity to name this crime and its punishment.—(New York Herald.)

Possibilities in Meat and Prices.

It is announced by the conservation division of the food administration that although hotels and restaurants will not be required to have a beefless day, they will be asked to reduce portions of meat and prices accordingly. That prompts the observation that while there is much leeway for reduction of prices in some hotels, there would not be much left if the meat portion were reduced.—(Utica Observer.)

Big News.

With rounding lips and an air of great importance the small boy of a Sunday school in Belfast imparted the happy fact to his teacher:

"The devil's dead," he said solemnly.

"What makes you think that?" said the startled teacher.

"Dad said so," explained the small boy. "I was standing in the street with him yesterday when a funeral passed and when dad saw it he said: 'Poor devil, he's dead.'"—(New York Globe.)

A Lesson of the War.

One lesson which this war is going to teach us before we get through with it is that the individual doesn't amount to so much in the general scheme of things as he thought he did.—(Ohio State Journal.)

FARMERS' PICNIC SATURDAY.

Judge Kellogg and Dr. Helen Brewster Owens the Speakers.

Indications are that the Farmers' picnic, announced for Sherman lake on Saturday, will be well attended with an interesting program, embracing both profit and pleasure. At 11 a. m. Dr. Helen Brewster Owens of Ithaca, will deliver an address. She is a noted Woman Suffrage speaker, who was very kindly secured for the day by Mrs. J. P. Fanning of Davenport Center, and all are invited to come early to hear the morning address.

At 1:30 o'clock Judge A. L. Kellogg, who is prominently mentioned for the supreme court judgeship, will deliver a patriotic and educational address appropriate to the times, which all should hear. A choice vaudeville performance is scheduled to follow at 2 o'clock. In the evening there will be another vaudeville performance, to be followed by a dance and the Country Store.

How Grocers Do in Utica.

The local retail grocers have agreed upon and are to adopt a plan whereby deliveries will be very much reduced. Good reason and common sense support the plan. One delivery a day at a house ought to suffice. Moreover, with one automobile to every 25 people in the United States, most of the customers could stop at the stores and take in their purchases and carry them home without difficulty or inconvenience. It costs money and quite a lot of it to deliver goods at the homes of the patrons and it costs as much to deliver a 10-cent order as it does one for a hundred times that sum. A great deal of economy can be accomplished by inaugurating and enforcing this rule.—(Utica Press.)

Oneontans in Europe.

A letter received this week by Mrs. John M. Hotelling of this city from her son, Charles, brings the tidings that the Engineers' corps of which the letter is a member safely braved the perils of the Atlantic and are now "somewhere in Europe." The detachment left Fort Slocum July 14 and arrived July 28 in England, where they disembarked and were reviewed by the King and Queen and other members of the royal family. This was the first time any troops from the United States have received this honor. The voyage across was uneventful and no submarines were seen.

With Mr. Hotelling are Russell Fisk and Lynn Goodrich of this city, all of the Eleventh Engineers' reserve. All were in excellent health. The letter was written Aug. 10, and the boys are expected to be in Europe within a week.

SPECIALLY POSED PHOTOGRAPH OF MAJOR-GENERAL MANN



A new specially posed photograph of Major-General William A. Mann, who will command the Forty-second division, composed of National Guard troops and known as the "Rainbow Division," to leave soon for France. Some 26 states contributed troops to this division. The picture was made in Washington, D. C., and shows the Major-General at his desk.

LETTER FROM HOME GUARDS

Lieut. F. M. H. JACKSON Writes Interesting Account of Life in His Camp—Several Promotions Made—Oneonta Boys Better Than the Rest.

From a personal letter received from Lieutenant F. M. H. Jackson, stationed with Company G, New York National Guard, at Pine Bridge, on Croton Lake, N. Y., the following extracts will be of interest to our readers:

The more one sees of the situation from the inside the more can be seen the enormous proportion it is to get things running properly and it will be some job to keep it so.

We have a most beautiful view here from an elevation of 150 or 200 feet, something as if we were in camp up back of the Mumford (former Amden) farm on South Side. Instead of the river at the foot of the hill is the Croton reservoir, which is a chain of long and narrow lakes not unlike Goodyear lake, but with hills on each side (north and south) much more abrupt. I have filled one film of the kodak, most of the pictures being taken yesterday, which was as clear a day as I ever saw. The water was as blue as the picture of an Italian scene. At evening the reflection of the hills and trees was even clearer than any we ever saw on Goodyear lake. The days are as hot as can be wished for but with a refreshing breeze most of the time. The nights are cool and sleep producing and everyone wakes with strength and energy for another busy day. Since arriving we have made two camps grow where none grew before. In other words, after establishing one camp, we pulled up and moved up the mountain 300 yards. We have erected 14 tents and eight or ten large flies, dug several latrines and two incinerators, commenced building a highway, and partly finished piping several hundred yards to bring water from a spring, which we hope will improve the water situation. Up to this time from 40 to 50 pails of water have been carried 500 to 600 yards up a hill so steep that the trucks can only bring up partial loads. No wood has yet been provided and every stick used by the cooks has been foraged from the adjacent woods. We have on special duty Acting Sergeant Jackson as regimental clerk; Acting Sergeant Shaddock as driver of automobile and trucks for Lieutenant Williams of the transportation department; Acting Sergeant Pearsall in charge of trucks and drivers in the transportation department; Private Briggs as colonel's orderly; Private Johnson as orderly to the battalion commander, Major Hodges; Private Wudin as telephone operator; Private Hopkins as company clerk; Cooks, Sigbee, Yates and McFee. We have three cooks, the extra one being detailed because of the regimental mess, as we feed the entire headquarters force.

Every day we furnish from four to six truck drivers and the antiquated automobile ambulances intended for city payments sometimes drive the drivers to desperation. We are hoping for more suitable transportation facilities in the near future.

There are located here Lieutenant Colonel Burnett, Lieutenant Hutton, regimental adjutant, Lieutenant Williams, chief of transportation, Captain de Garino, supply officer, Captain Pell disbursing officer, Captain Kingsbury, surgeon, Major Hodges, battalion commander, Lieutenant Davidson, battalion adjutant, and several sergeants major, as well as several enlisted and civilian chauffeurs. Frequent details and detachments appear at unexpected times and it is up to the cooks to be ready to feed the casuals. It would be impossible to do this on the ordinary company issue but special allowances are made for the headquarters company. Our cooks are most able and we have plenty of substantial food properly prepared. The kitchen is kept as neat as a house kitchen and the camp looks spic and span always and it is up to us to keep it so.

It is surprising how many accomplishments the various members of the company possess. The company commander had prepared a list of special qualifications before learning of our assignment as headquarters company and upon reporting for duty informed the major that he had someone to call upon for everything except to preach or doctor. He has not yet been cornered in anything required. As has been the case with every company sent out to represent Oneonta, the company commander is proud of his organization and is

tempted to say these are "not like other men."

While the work is onerous it has the advantage of variety. For some time monotony will be unknown among us, and there will be little opportunity to entertain homesickness.

Red Cross Appropriate \$100,000.

Announcement is made by the American Red Cross that its war council has appropriated \$100,000 for medical research work in France.

This action follows a report from Major Grayson M. P. Murphy, Red Cross commissioner to Europe, who culled the following from Paris to the national headquarters at Washington: "An extraordinary opportunity presents itself here for medical research work. We have, serving with various American units, some of the ablest doctors and surgeons in the United States. Many of these men are already conducting courses of investigation which if carried to successful conclusions will result in the discovery of treatments and methods of operation which will be of great use not only in this war but, possibly, for years afterwards. To carry on their work they need certain special equipment. At present, equipment and personnel cannot be obtained through ordinary government sources without delay, which makes this source of supply quite impracticable."

Devil's currency was the name given by the New Englanders to the wampum which the Dutch settlers in Manhattan and New Netherlands adopted as their currency from the Indians.

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LOCAL MENTION.

There was a man in our town, And he was wondrous wise, He swore by all the dogs that be He would not advertise.

At last one day he advertised, And thereby hangs a tale, The ad. was set in nonpareil, And headed "Sheriff's Sale."

—The list of property exempted from tax in the city, according to law, appears in this issue. Readers should note that this is the record to July 1 and does not include any property transferred after that date.

—Chairman Herriett of the signs committee of the Oneonta Auto club has the warning signs up at both ends of the Glenn bridge, and it is hoped that no more motorists will collide at that point. The recent accident has been reported to Secretary of State Hugo, but what if any action he will take is not yet known.

—Motorists arriving in the city over the South Side Macadam road report an abundance of road oil, work oiling the Davenport-Oneonta road having commenced yesterday. The oil is applied after the road has been swept and with no top dressing. While this makes the oil very troublesome for a few days, it is said by the department officials to make the most permanent improvement when applied in this manner. Several motorists found themselves in the ditch by reason of the oil. No serious accidents are reported so far as can be learned, one Overland having one wheel disabled when it took the ditch quickly.

THE PRESSURE CANNER.

Gets in Its Work for the Community— Attendance About Thirty.

There was not a large attendance yesterday on the second day of demonstration of the work of the pressure canner. On Tuesday there was more foodstuff offered for canning than it was possible to process at the session. Yesterday the amount brought in was not larger but all was disposed of easily, with the added experience, careful explanation being given of the work. The cans previously done were shown and comments were numerous on the fine appearance of the vegetables after canning. Yesterday only beans were brought in for canning. Today and until further notice the work will be continued, and it is requested that housewives having articles for canning bring them to the demonstration.

LIGHTING COMPANY NOTIFIED.

Complaint Must Be Satisfied or Written Answer Filed in Twenty Days.

City Attorney Owen C. Becker has been notified by the Public Service commission that the complaint of Mayor Ceperley against the Oneonta Light and Power company as to the minimum charge of 50 cents a month and as to the proposed service charge of 50 cents a month for gas has been served upon the company and that the company has been required to satisfy the matters complained of or that the charges in said complaint be answered in writing within 20 days from August 18, the date of the service.

If the company files a written answer then a copy thereof will be forwarded to Mr. Becker as attorney for the mayor in the proceedings and doubtless a hearing will then follow.

Conferring with Officials.

City Attorney Owen C. Becker and Engineer Frank M. Gurney were in Albany yesterday conferring with the State Conservation commission relative to the small dam that it is proposed the city erect in the course of the Oneonta creek at Wilber park for the purpose of securing a bathing pool for the juveniles. The commission is very careful about grants to dam water-courses of late. It is hoped that the project will not be delayed by reason of the supervision given the Albany authorities.

Meetings Today.

Regular meeting of the Autumn lodge this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Regular meeting of Railroad Telegraphers, Delaware and Hudson Division No. 12, at Y. M. C. A. rooms to-night, at 7 o'clock. General Chairman Johnson will be present. All members and nons kindly arrange to be present. Signed Local Chairman E. F. Laurence.

Regular meeting of the G. I. A. at 2:30 this afternoon.

Regular meeting of Oneonta tent, 359, Maccabees, this evening.

Special Notice.

Dr. G. E. Shoemaker, optometrist, will close his office at 169 Main street after Monday, August 27, until Wednesday, September 5, and will open it every Wednesday only unless otherwise announced, prepared to examine eyes and furnish glasses. Glasses for repairs should be sent to him at Cobleskill, after Monday. Adv 3t

Notice to Contractors.

The time for receiving bids by the committee for the county tuberculosis hospital is extended until Thursday, August 30. U. A. Ferguson, Chairman. Adv 1t

The Plains Methodist Episcopal church has been stained in oak color and varnished by Paul G. Merritt, a brother of A. C. Merritt. The outside will now be finished with a coat of white paint. Adv 1t

Potatoes 35c peck. The Park grocery, phone 116. Adv 1t

276 Wright's delivery. Adv 1t

INTOXICATED DRIVER FINED

WELLINGTON SAGER OF STAMFORD FINED \$50 BY JUDGE SHOVE.

Driving Ford Runabout of E. B. Decker of Stamford Crashes into Car of C. H. Dorr on Lower Chestnut Street Late Thursday Night — Companion Fined \$10.

Tuesday evening, about 11 o'clock, Wellington Sager and Byron Brower, both of Stamford, who had come to the city in the Ford runabout of their employer, E. B. Decker of the same village, started for Lower Chestnut street, after having imbibed too freely. About 100 feet off the pavement they crashed head on into the car of C. H. Dorr, local representative of the Francis Motor Sales company, who had kept far to the right as he approached the pavement, and was close to the trolley tracks. Fortunately no one was injured. The car of Mr. Dorr was damaged to the extent of about \$65, and the Decker car, although somewhat damaged, was able to proceed. The fellows continued on their way. Mr. Dorr, as soon as he was able to reach the city, reported the affair to the police and Officers Horton and Parshall went to the vicinity of the accident in search of the offenders.

The officers finally located the men back in the lot from Kearney street, where they had driven the car into a ditch two feet deep from which they had been unable to extricate it. In the accident their lights had been extinguished and they could not see where they were going. It is assumed that they hoped to avoid detection by getting from the main highway.

Yesterday morning before Judge Shove they were convicted. Sager of violating section 290 of the motor vehicle law, for which he was fined \$50, and Brower for public intoxication, for which he was fined \$10. Both fines were paid, it is said, by their employer. This is at least the third offence of the kind for which Judge Shove has imposed a sizable fine during the current year. It would seem that offenders of this sort would learn that offences of this character will not be tolerated here.

THIRD CASE DEVELOPS HERE.

Dr. Duryee Confirms Diagnosis of Dr. Mills in Case of John VanWoert.

John VanWoert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee D. VanWoert of Walnut street, is suffering from infantile paralysis, Dr. Charles C. Duryee of Schenectady, sanitary supervisor of this district, confirming the diagnosis of the disease made by Dr. Mills, the attending physician, and confirmed also by Dr. Marx, the health officer. He had recently returned with the family from the seashore, he having been taken ill while there. The case had suspicious symptoms from the start, and as soon as Dr. Mills reported it, Dr. Marx at once called Dr. Duryee in conference. The latter saw the patient for the first Tuesday evening and, while inclined to confirm the diagnosis, withheld final decision until yesterday morning, when it was established to the satisfaction of all the physicians that the case had been correctly diagnosed.

Dr. Marx has established a quarantine. In fact from the first effort has been made to see that no exposures resulted and Dr. Mills has kept the case isolated. None of the members of the family who enter the room are permitted to leave the house, and it is hoped to keep the disease confined. The health authorities are still quite hopeful that there will result no epidemic and that the disease can be kept confined to a few cases, perhaps to the three reported.

The little sufferer has no paralysis of the extremities, the manifestation of the disease being confined to the throat and one side of the face. While the case is well developed, it is hoped that there will be no extension of the trouble and that within a day or two improvement in his condition can be reported. Care should be exercised by all parents and the precautions recommended last summer, followed generally.

MAJ. GREENE GETS WIDER FIELD

In Command of Poughkeepsie Recruiting District of United States Army.

Major Charles T. Greene, who has been in charge of the local recruiting station since February, has been ordered to Poughkeepsie to assume command of the entire Poughkeepsie district, which includes that city, Kingston, Hudson, Elmira, Yonkers, Binghamton and Oneonta. He will make weekly visits to all the stations in his district, to follow the progress of their work.

With the advancement of Major Greene the local station falls into the charge of Sergeant VanNort.

Three young men applied for enlistment in the United States army yesterday, but only one of them was accepted, Ernest Church of Gilbertsville, for the infantry.

Auto Bargains.

Four-cylinder Buick, electric lights and starter, extra tire. A bargain at \$450. Also new 55B Overland, five-passenger at a bargain. Fred N. Van Wie. Adv 6t

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FIVE MORE NAMES ADDED.

To List Already Passed by Local Exemption Board.

The 22 persons summoned for examination yesterday by the exemption board of the first Otsego district all put in an appearance yesterday and the work was completed before 5 o'clock. The new names, which bring the list up to 60, are as follows:

Edward J. Snyder of Oneonta.
Leonard Sullivan of Otsego.
Edward R. Polley of Oneonta.
Leon M. Hopkins of Otsego.
James M. Lewis of Unadilla.

The first three of these did not claim exemption. The last two put in agricultural claims and were certified to the district board for determination. Of the total of 60 definitely accepted out of a total of 311 examined, 10 claim agricultural exemption and two are aliens. This leaves 48, and to these will doubtless be added a considerable number who have claimed exemption for one reason or another, and whose cases have not as yet been acted upon.

The board has now investigated all claims for exemption and met last evening to act upon them. The work has not been completed but will be continued today. As soon as a conclusion on the whole list is reached, decision will be announced.

CARBONDALE MAN INJURED.

Flagman E. Donlin Falls Striking Abdomen Upon Rail.

Last evening, about 6:30 o'clock, flagman Donlin, residing at 141 Birckett street, Carbondale, Pa., and employed on the train with Conductor T. Mooney, while running across the tracks in the Delaware and Hudson yard here to assist Trainman Bridges, accidentally fell, striking his stomach with great force against a rail. He appeared to be seriously hurt and the ambulance was called and he was removed to the Fox Memorial hospital where Doctor Marsh attended him. He has a serious abdominal injury, the full extent of which cannot be told at present.

Shortly before Trainman Robert B. Bridges of 18 Bethel street, Carbondale, had been seized with a fainting spell while standing on the platform of a caboose and fell, striking his head upon the steps of the caboose. He was bruised about the head and body. He, however, insisted that he was not seriously injured and was permitted to return with his crew, although extra men were called to take the places of both Donlin and Bridges.

AUSTRIANS AND RUSSIANS IN ROW

Police Officers Called to Cooperstown Junction to Quell Disturbance.

Last evening several calls were received at police headquarters stating that employees of Porter Brothers, occupying a house at Cooperstown Junction, said to be Austrians and Russians, were having a row and asking for officers to interfere. Word was also sent to Sheriff Brown at Cooperstown. That official responded as did also Chief Blizard and Officer Horton of the local force and Officer. Abel and Stapleton of the Delaware and Hudson force. When they reached the scene the excitement had in large measure subsided, but one fellow had been badly handled, although not requiring surgical attendance.

The officers found one fellow, said to be an Austrian, armed with a 38-caliber revolver, a dangerous looking knife and brass knuckles. He was taken into custody and was taken to Cooperstown jail for the night. Further examination will probably determine the charge that will be made against him.

Aunt Prudence Teaches Lesson.

Editor Star: The absorbing interest in the "Aunt Prudence" articles you have been running is justified. I have read them with much interest and have found them uniformly instructive. Each article, seems to me, conveys a lesson that this country must thoroughly recognize. We have been a nation of wasters. The demand now comes upon every woman as well as every man to produce something that will help our fellows.

I share the privilege and pleasure of every other resident of Oneonta, to be able to live in a community where its industries are made so thoroughly sanitary, not by compulsory legislation, but by choice of the owners and managers. Our factories furnish employment to every able bodied woman who wants to work, and it seems to be incumbent at this particular crisis upon everybody to do their bit.

E. W. ELMORE.

August 22, 1917.

Common sense, patriotism and true womanhood. These are the keystones of Aunt Prudence's logic. Of course, you are reading what she has to say in the big type articles in this paper. Adv 1t

Ladies—"Needle Craft Shop," 5 Elm street, can only keep the display of beautiful work from Italy a few days longer. Mrs. Alvord hopes you will not miss this opportunity. Adv 2t

Lost—Between Oneonta and Milford, Michelin 34x4 tire. Finder please notify the Francis Motor Sales company, Oneonta or Milford, N. Y. Adv 4t

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Potatoes 35 cents per peck. Todd's Cash market, phone 19. Adv 2t

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Post Cards, Co. G leaving city. August 18. Broad Street studio. Adv 3t

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PERSONALS.

Carl L. Shearer departed yesterday on a short business trip to New York City.

Miss Mabel Elmore is spending a week with friends in Great Barrington, Mass.

Mrs. E. E. Mork of Binghamton is spending the day with W. W. Rowe, 79 Ford Avenue.

Clement G. Tennant esp. of Cooperstown was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Judge L. F. Raymond and family of Franklin were in the city yesterday on a motor trip.

Mrs. W. A. Linacre and niece, Miss Alice Linacre, are spending the week-end in Binghamton.

Mrs. A. R. Benedict is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. R. E. Humphrey, Harpersfield.

Mrs. M. M. Palmer and daughter, Marjorie, of Delhi, were calling on Oneonta friends yesterday.

Mrs. Della Brownell of 5 Park street is visiting her mother, Mrs. Alonzo Dibble, in Charlotteville.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Stevens of Binghamton are visiting their cousin, Mrs. Elizabeth Conlon, in Oneonta.

Mrs. W. G. Dickinson departed yesterday morning for a short visit with relatives and friends in Butler, N. J.

George A. Ives and party of friends, all from Bainbridge, were at the Oneonta for lunch yesterday, having motored here.

Mr. and Mrs. Devere Emble and Miss Ethel McDonald, all of Cooperstown, were among the motorists in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Underwood of Cleveland, Ohio, arrived in Oneonta last evening and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Elmhurst.

Hon. Sanford P. Church, wife and son, Sanford P. Jr., of Albion, are guests of Judge and Mrs. A. L. Kellogg, 29 Ford Avenue.

Miss Hazel E. Couper has returned to her home in Troy after visiting her sisters, Mrs. W. H. Mosher and Miss Lillian M. Cooper, in Oneonta.

L. A. Patton and M. J. Card of this city departed yesterday for Saratoga, Trenton Falls and North Creek, where they will spend a week's vacation.

Miss Edith Carhill of Chicago, Ill., who for some time had been a guest of Dr. and Mrs. N. D. Getman, departed for home yesterday morning.

Miss Norma Burke of Binghamton and Mrs. O. J. Neer and Miss Hannah Kelley of Carbondale, Pa., are guests of Mrs. T. J. Burke of Watkins Avenue.

Mrs. Paul M. Watkeys returned yesterday to Newport News, Va., after spending the past month with her mother, Mrs. W. H. Mosher, in Oneonta.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ely of Carbondale, Pa., motored to this city, arriving yesterday, and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Kelly of Hudson Street.

Gilbert High, who had been the guest for about six weeks of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Slade, at Middletown, returned home yesterday.

Herbert Sweet of Waynesburg, Ohio, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Addie Sweet of Milford, were in Oneonta yesterday, on their way to visit friends in Norwich.

Mrs. V. C. McLagan and son, Stanley, who had been at the home of her brother, Charles Brosmer, for three weeks, returned to her home in Norwich yesterday.

Miss Jessie Blundell and Miss Marjorie Loughran of Patterson, N. J., returned home Wednesday, after a visit with the latter's aunt, Mrs. C. K. Lauren, in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Bigwood, who for several days have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Easton, Main Street, departed for their home in Schenectady yesterday.

Miss Flora May Colinsbee, formerly of this city, who for a few days had been a guest of Mrs. Lettie Woolheater in this city, left yesterday for a brief sojourn in Seward before returning to her home in New York City.

Mrs. William Crockett of Schenectady, wife of the new D. & H. agent here, accompanied by her friend, Mrs. S. E. Easton, of that city, arrived in Oneonta last evening, having come here house hunting preparatory to removing to this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Sterns and Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Mendell of Delhi motored to Oneonta yesterday and spent the day calling on friends. They were accompanied to the city by Frank Gross, who later in the day left by train for New York City.

Miss Ethel Doehle left yesterday to give a course of lectures on massage and dietetics to the nurses of the following hospitals: Hudson River State Hospital, Poughkeepsie; Eastern Hospital, Easton, Pa.; and St. Luke's Hospital, South Bethlehem, Pa.

Nettie E. Nelson, deaconess of the Centenary Methodist Episcopal church of Jersey City, N. J., after spending three weeks with relatives and friends in this city, left Wednesday morning for a couple of weeks' stay at Ocean Grove, N. J., before taking up her work.

William Harburt and daughter, Lois, of Galesburg, Ill., who had been the guests for some time of the former's brother, George M. Harburt, of this city, departed yesterday for Nantasket, Mass. Miss May Harburt accompanied them for a two weeks' sojourn on the Massachusetts coast.

Miss M. A. Mackenzie of Miami, Fla., who had been visiting Oneonta friends for some time, left yesterday for Franklin, where she will be a guest of Supt. and Mrs. M. F. Nelson.

Miss Mackenzie, who formerly was a resident of this city, made the trip by auto from Miami with her brother, J. B. Mackenzie and children. Fifteen days were spent on the way.

Mrs. Frank R. Edwards, who is spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baird in this city, left yesterday for New York City on receipt of a telegram announcing the arrival that morning of her husband by steamer from the Canal Zone. While it is hoped that

Captain Edwards will be able to spend a short time at least in Oneonta, his movements during his stay in the north are not definitely known.

Carl Hoyt, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoyt of this city, departed yesterday morning for Albany. In that city he will be joined by Frank Huntington, son of Judge S. L. Huntington, and they will proceed to Fort Niagara, where they will enter the training camp for officers, which opened this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Morris, Miss Margaret Morris, Albert Morris Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Morris and Miss Virginia Morris left this morning for a motor trip through the New England States. At Albany Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wigglesworth and two sons of Chicago, Ill., will join them and continue on the trip.

Mrs. James H. Keyes of this city left Monday for St. Paul, Minn., where for some time she will be a guest of her sister, Mrs. John Sumner. She was accompanied as far as their home in Chicago by her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hervey L. Keyes, who for a short time had been her guests in Oneonta.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Black of Bridgeport, Conn., accompanied by their two children and by Miss Ada B. Colburn, have been spending the summer in New York as a student of the Columbia University College of Teachers, arrived in Oneonta yesterday and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Colburn. The trip from Bridgeport was made by auto and was a very pleasant one. They expect to remain about two weeks.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Emory Abell.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Abell, widow of the late Emory Abell, died at her home on Upper Main Street, Franklin, Saturday morning, August 18, aged 69 years. Mrs. Abell was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Griswold Johnson and was born in this town. She was married to Emory Abell 44 years ago. She is survived by two sons, Arthur, of Waverly, and Ralph, of Toledo, Ohio, one sister, Mrs. Charles Rogers, of Franklin, and two brothers, Herbert Johnson, of Leonard, Kansas, and Edward Johnson, of Franklin. The funeral was held from her late home, Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. A. H. Lindsey officiating, burial in Ouleout Valley cemetery. Mrs. Abell had been a devoted member of the Congregational church for many years. She was a true devoted wife and mother. She possessed the kind heart and ready hand which make her a friend indeed. Her husband, Emory Abell, died suddenly last February and a son, Edward Abell, died July 13.

"I cannot say, and I will not say, that she is dead; she is just away. With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand, she has wandered into the Heavenly land, and left us dreaming how very fair it needs must be—since she lingers there. The touch of her hand have strayed, as reverently as her lips have prayed. Think of her still as the same I say—she is not dead, she is just away."

Among those attending the funeral from away are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Abell and son, Howard, of Waverly, Ralph Abell of Toledo, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Briggs of Oneonta, Mr. and Mrs. Delva Spoor of Oneonta, the Misses Mary, Julia and Emily Abell of Oneonta, Mrs. Grace King of Syracuse.

FUNERALS.

Mrs. Georgia A. VanHoesen.

Funeral services for the late Miss Georgia A. VanHoesen were held at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ida VanHoesen, 10 Parish Avenue, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Dr. C. S. Pendleton, pastor of the Free Baptist church, officiated. The house was well filled with friends and neighbors of the sorrowing family. Many beautiful flowers were sent. After the services at the house, the body was taken to Elk Creek for burial in the village cemetery. The bearers were: Edward Hill, F. Snyder, Earl Pritts and Fred Bolles.

Mrs. Lucinda B. Jordan.

The funeral services of Mrs. Lucinda B. Jordan, whose demise was noted in Tuesday's Star, were held from the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Berner, 1 Normal Avenue, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, and were private. Rev. B. M. Johns, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, officiated. The body will be taken on the 7:20 train this morning to Plainville, Conn., for burial.

Attend Archer-Judd Wedding.

East Meredith, Aug. 22. — Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Frisbee and Mr. and Mrs. John Blakely of this place have invitations to the Archer-Judd wedding at Cannonsville at noon today.

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W. C. T. U. OFFICERS ELECTED.

Meeting Held in Y. M. C. A. Rooms Yesterday Afternoon.

At a well attended meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance union, held yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. parlors, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Mrs. Alma Webster.
Vice President—Mrs. Genevieve Holmes.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Jennie Townsend.
Recording Secretary—Mrs. Lula Walker.

Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Murdock.
Superintendents of Departments.

Evangelistic—Mrs. Alice VanPatten.
Press—Mrs. Jennie Townsend.
Mother's Meeting—Mrs. Edith Elbridge.

Medical Temperance—Mrs. Melissa Germond.
Health—Mrs. Stanhouse.

Flower Mission—Mrs. Parmelee and Mrs. Goodenough.
Medal Contest—Mrs. G. J. Dann.

Anti Narcotics—Mrs. Phoebe Kenyon.
Foreign Speaking People—Mrs. A. Bundy.

Co-operation with Missions—Mrs. E. A. Nearing.
Red Letter Day and Social Meetings—Mrs. C. Loveland and Mrs. Rebecca Ekerson.

Fairs—Mrs. Alice Peters.
Scientific Temperance Instruction—Mrs. Webster.

Temperance Literature—Mrs. J. McNeil.
White Ribbon Recruits—Alma Seaver.

Soldiers and Sailors—Mrs. Frank Wells.

Traffic Ordinance.

An ordinance to amend Section 3 of ordinance No. 18, entitled, "Regulating Traffic."

Resolved, That Section 3 of ordinance No. 18, entitled, "Regulating Traffic," be amended to read as follows:

Ordinance No. 18, Section 3.
Vehicles at street corners and near hydrants.

It shall be unlawful for any person to cause or permit any vehicle to stand or remain stationary, unless in charge of or under the immediate control of some person capable of driving said vehicle, within 20 feet of the entrance to the fire building, on both sides of Main street, and within 40 feet of any of the following street intersections, to wit: Chestnut and Main streets, Dietz and Main streets, Broad and Main streets, Ford Avenue and Main street, South Main and Main streets, Broad and Prospect streets, Broad and Market streets, Elm and Main streets; within 25 feet each side of the extension of the center line of Dietz street on the southerly side of Main street; within 25 feet from the entrance of any theatre and within 20 feet of any fire hydrant.

Be it further Resolved, That this amendment take effect immediately upon publication.

J. Sheldon H. Close, City Clerk of the City of Oneonta, New York, and Clerk of the Common Council of said city, do hereby certify that on August 21st, 1917, at a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Oneonta, New York, the above ordinance was duly enacted, and is the whole thereof, and is this 22nd day of August, 1917, presented to you for your approval or veto.

SHELDON H. CLOSE, L.S., City Clerk.

I, Andrew E. Ceperley, Mayor of the City of Oneonta, New York, do hereby affix my name and seal and the seal of the City of Oneonta, New York, this 22nd day of August, 1917, approving of the above ordinance as enacted by the Common Council at a regular meeting held August 21st, 1917.

A. E. CEPERLEY, L.S., Mayor.

For Sale—The following concessions during the Oneonta fair, Sept. 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, viz.: Cigars, soft drinks, peanuts, ice cream, fruits and dining room privileges. This fair has the reputation of being one of the largest in the state outside of the State fair. A big chance to make money. Call or write W. E. Parish, secretary, Oneonta, N. Y. adv. 51

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 \$2.00 and \$2.50 Wash Skirts 98c

A lot of Hats; value \$2.00 and \$3.00; choice, 75c. Be sure to get your share of these big values.



Values In Women's White Shoes That Eclipse Any the Present Season Has Known

Special for the balance of this week - headliners in the "War Economy" Sale, these exceptional values.

Women's White, Dress and Sport, Boots

\$10.00 Kinds	\$8.50	\$8.00 Kinds	\$6.90
\$7.00 Kinds	\$5.90	\$6.00 Kinds	\$5.90
\$5.00 Kinds	\$3.95	\$4.00 Kinds	\$3.35
\$3.00 Kinds		\$2.45	
White Pumps and White Sport Oxfords		\$1.45 to \$3.95	

Hard Boot Shop
 160 MAIN STREET

MUSICAL AT LUTHERAN CHURCH

Well Chosen Program Well Rendered to Good Sized Audience.

To help liquidate the debt of the church a musicale was given by the young people of the Lutheran church of the Atonement at the church building on Grove street last night to a good sized audience.

Through the personal efforts of Miss Rebecca Trauger talent was secured from among the residents of Oneonta and they rendered a well chosen program. To pick out one participant and praise him or her higher than any of the others would be hard for all were excellent. But from the point of view of the selections the singing of "Come to the Garden," and "The Nightingale Has a Lyre of Gold," by Miss Rebecca L. Trauger, a duet by Miss Annie Walters and Miss Rebecca L. Trauger, and a violin solo by John Canning Jr. were artistic.

Miss Thelma Townsend, by delivering a clever monologue won her audience immediately. Her delightful elocution reached her listeners. Those who took part were: Miss Annie Walters, Miss Julia Harrington, Miss Josephine Lauren, Miss Rebecca L. Trauger, Miss Thelma Townsend, Miss Pauline Wightman, and the church orchestra. All tickets had not been returned last night, but it was expected that between \$25 and \$30 would be realized.

Help Oneonta to be what it should be. The Aunt Prudence series of articles will show you your duty. Read them all, even if you have to get back numbers of The Star. Adv 11

DON'T BE BALD

Here's a Good Way to Stop Loss of Hair and Start New Growth

If your hair is thinning out, lifeless, full of dandruff, and your head itches like mad, it's a sure sign of the dangerous dandruff germ, and quick action must be taken to save what hair you have and start a new growth. Don't wait until the hair has fallen out for then nothing can help you, but get from your druggist four ounces of Parisian Sage—it don't cost much and there is nothing you could use that's any better. Dr. Sauerbush, the famous Parisian Sage specialist, discovered that dandruff and falling hair are caused by a microbe—then came the discovery of the value of Parisian Sage (Alopecurus) to destroy this germ, prevent falling hair and the formation of dandruff. A few messages with Parisian Sage are all that are usually needed, and very soon you should be able to see the new hairs coming in. Parisian Sage is a woman's favorite hair dressing, because it will not stain and makes the hair lustrous, soft and shiny. Be sure you get Parisian Sage (Alopecurus), for this brand is guaranteed. H. B. Gildersleeve can supply you.

The Call

Your country calls. You dare not be less brave Than those heroic dead who gladly died Struggling to give her birth. What'er be the cost, Through calm and storm, the heritage they gave Must still live on, till freedom's flag shall wave O'er all the earth, till the onswelling tide Of tyranny be stemmed, till peace abide O'er bloodstained field and unknown hero's grave. Ours is the task to speed the gladsoome day Of which the prophets sang, when war No more, when through the darkness of the night Shall come the dawn, when vanquished array Shall vanish neath the sun of liberty As the power of night through the triumph of right. —Mills Cowen in Chicago Tribune.

Hearing in Keyes Bankruptcy Case. The first hearing in the case of Irving L. Keyes, voluntary petitioner in bankruptcy, was held yesterday afternoon before Hon. William H. Johnson, referee in bankruptcy, at his offices in the First National bank building. Judge L. F. Raymond of Franklin appeared for the Franklin National bank; M. C. Hemmett for Charles Smith, George R. Baird and Townsend Brothers, and Alva Seybold for other creditors. The petitioner was represented by J. E. Thompson esq. Mr. Keyes was first examined and later Mr. Thompson gave testimony in the case. At the close of the proceedings, George Wohlleben esq. was appointed trustee in bankruptcy and adjournment was taken until Friday, September 7.

In Helgoland the Sabbath begins at 6 o'clock on Saturday evening, when the church bells are rung, and ceases on the following day at the same hour.

If Aunt Prudence had her way, what a country this would be. Every girl doing her bit and not a slacker among them. Read the big type article on the last page. They have been running for days. A wonderful series. Adv 11

You instinctively like good coffee—then try Klipnoekie. It has the flavor. Adv 11

Wise and helpful are those big type illustrated articles, with Aunt Prudence as the heroine. See last page. Adv 11

For Sale—New arch bar Pope bicycle, 12 Central avenue. Adv 31

DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

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aware county Food Conservation agent, will give a demonstration at the I. O. O. F. hall, Tuesday, September 11. All are invited to attend. The Misses Hunt, Wheat and Vantage were pleasantly entertained at Miss Chamberlain's home in Franklin on Friday.—Mr. and Mrs. William Borden and daughter, with F. E. Bender and wife, were Canada visitors Saturday afternoon.—Miss Millicent Wheat of Albany is spending her vacation with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bender.—Mrs. Charles Fields of Binghamton is in town for two weeks.—Several from town were in Meredith Sunday, attending the centennial exercises of the Meredith Baptist church.—Mrs. Howard Hall and Master Charles are spending a few days with her parents in Delhi.—Mrs. E. W. Hunt and Mrs. M. S. Greene will attend the W. C. T. U. convention in Delhi this week.—Mrs. D. H. Piper of Delhi is visiting friends in town.

DELHI DAY BY DAY.

Village Improvement Society Realizes Handsome Sum.

Delhi, Aug. 22.—As a result of the two evenings of vaudeville staged last week by Mrs. Lester Irvine and Mrs. M. P. Morgan, the Village Improvement society realized \$210 to carry on the work of the year. Monday afternoon this sum was increased by a gift of \$50 from E. B. Sheldon, who expressed himself as highly pleased with the excellence of the performance.

Successful Operation.

Dorothy Penfield, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Penfield, was operated upon at her home Monday night for appendicitis by Dr. Latcher of Oneonta, assisted by Dr. Ormiston. The patient is doing well.

Funeral of Aged Delhi Man.

The funeral of William Burns, a former resident of Meredith who has lived in Delhi many years, was held Tuesday afternoon in the Second Presbyterian church, Rev. Mr. Wright officiating in the absence of the pastor, Mr. Burns leaves three children, William Burns of Walton, Clarence Burns of Delhi and Mrs. Jones of New Rochelle.

Enjoyable Dancing Party.

Miss Laura Gay Smith entertained a large number of guests Tuesday evening at a dancing party in honor of her guests, Miss Palmer and Mrs. George Cooper Pine of New York. A Victrola furnished the music.

Delhi Personals.

Miss Lillian Gemmett is spending her vacation visiting relatives in Oneonta.—Mrs. J. M. Dunn, who has been the guest of Miss Gertrude Stoddard, is spending a week in Roxbury before returning to New York.—Rev. David B. McMurphy and wife ofodus, Wayne county, New York, is visiting relatives in town during their vacation.—Billy Lynch DeProsse of Hudson arrived in town Tuesday night to visit his aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Hume, and other relatives. He walked from Hudson to Delhi and expects to camp near here.

PICKED UP IN FRANKLIN.

Franklin, Aug. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. McGraw of New York have been guests at the Franklin Inn this week.—Miss Marjorie Shaw of Walton has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Scott.—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Abell and son, Howard, of Waverly are in town, being called here by the illness and death of Mr. Abell's mother, Mrs. Emily Abell.—Mrs. Grace King of Syracuse is in town for a few days.—Mrs. R. S. Wood, Mrs. James Loveland, Mrs. Carrie Bennett and Mrs. P. C. Daniels are in Delhi this week, attending the thirty-fourth annual convention of the Delaware county W. C. T. U.—Mrs. John Ward has returned from Buffalo, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Huyek.—Mrs. Frances A. DeGraft of Amsterdam, state organizer of the W. C. T. U., will speak at a union service in the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening.—Mrs. William Phelps has returned to Franklin, after spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Honan, in Unadilla.—E. D. Hubbell and Mrs. Porter Hamilton of Brooklyn are the guests of Mrs. Richard Daumore.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Douglass and daughter of Newburgh were Franklin callers this week. Mr. Douglass was at one time a teacher in the Franklin public school and has many friends in town.

Wilson Could End War, Declares Harden



MAXMILLIAN HARDEN.

President Wilson can end the war when he chooses to demand peace, according to an interview with Maxmillian Harden, the famous German editor, which Karl von Wiegand, international New Service staff correspondent held with him before leaving Germany following the entry of the United States into the great conflict. Von Wiegand discussed with Harden the possibility of probability that peace overtures, when made, would be made by the pope. Harden replied that the pope could not force obstinate governments to listen or compel sinister spirits in every country to hesitate in their work of human destruction. Von Wiegand quotes Harden as saying further:

"There has been but one man during the entire war who could do that; there is but one man today who can do that—that man is not the pope—that man is Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States. When President Wilson raises his hand and says 'It has gone far enough; I command peace!' the slaughter will cease. This war will end."

"There is not a government which could say no! There is not one which would dare say no! The war will end when President Wilson gives the signal for it to end, or go to utter exhaustion or the point of revulsion is reached by the peoples."

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ELK CREEK-MEREDITH.

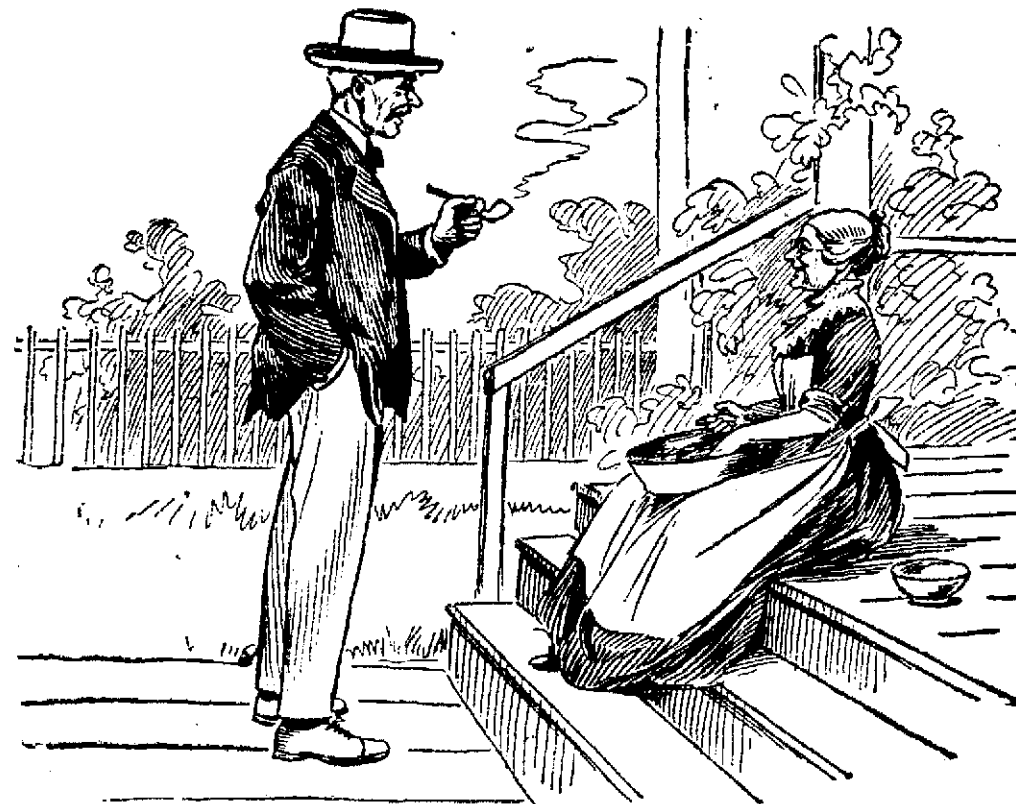
Elk Creek-Meredith, Aug. 22.—Mrs. Charles Smith left Monday for Binghamton, for medical treatment at Kilmer's sanitarium.—Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Hotelling called on friends in Hartwick Sunday.—Miss Helen Mitchell, who has been spending a few weeks with friends here, returns to her home in Oneonta this week.—Wilbur Stuart, a former resident of this vicinity, has been calling on friends here.—Henry Hotelling returned Sunday from a two weeks' visit in Hartwick.—Marshall Mitchell, Mrs. Gladstone, Miss Gladstone, Miss Moore and Miss Marian Gladstone, all of Delhi, were callers here Sunday.—Many friends here learn with deep regret that Miss Ethel Leal, who went to Denver, Co., to visit her brother, is in a hospital ill of typhoid fever.—George Johnston, who has been at Robert Johnston's for some time, has returned to Meridale.—Miss Jennie Craig of Delhi is staying a few days at William Wightman's.—Mrs. Henry Leal is entertaining two nephews from Binghamton.—Ralph W., the infant son of William Wightman, is suffering from whooping cough.

WEST DAVENPORT DATA.

West Davenport, Aug. 22.—Mrs. S. Myers and granddaughter, Miss Ruth King, of Pittston, Pa., are visitors at Wm. Rathbun's and W. A. Briggs.—Mrs. M. V. Forman and son, Earl, are in Cannonsville, where they will attend the Judd-Archer wedding.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy of Albany are guests of J. W. Hurdick.—The annual picnic of the Methodist Episcopal church will be held Wednesday, Aug. 29, the place to be announced later.—The Misses Glenn and Helen Boardman of Utica are guests of V. B. Forman and C. McDonald this week.—Mrs. Celia Monk is visiting friends in Norwich, Smyrna and Earlville for ten days.—Miss Mildred Simmons of Maryland is a visitor at the home of William Oles.—Mrs. Fred Williams of Albany is a visitor at G. E. Moon's residence.

EAST MEREDITH.

East Meredith, Aug. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Spencer of Oneonta were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Barnes.—Mrs. Sanford of New Kingston was the week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. J. G. Haynes.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmer Jr. and two sons have been spending a week at the home of his father, Henry Hotherington of Oneonta was a caller at the home of his father Sunday.—The Brown reunion will be held at the home of G. H. Conner Thursday.



(Continued from Yesterday.)

AUNT Prudence Clearview would have blushed had any one but her own brother hinted at how pretty a picture she presented after dinner on that memorable evening when Kate Hamilton had so calmly announced that she had gone to work in an Oneonta factory. She was seated on the steps of the kitchen porch, in a big white apron, shelling peas preparatory to doing some canning in the cool of the following morning.

John Hamilton, his afterdinner pipe in his fingers, stood on the green sward and looked at her with admiration and affection. "Sister," said he, after a moment, "You certainly are the crown princess of industry. There seems never a moment when you have not at hand some useful work. If Hoover could see you this minute he would secure a photograph to use in his food conservation propaganda. And under the picture he would have printed that old quotation, 'Honest labor bears a lovely face.'"

Mrs. Clearview smiled. "There's work for everybody these times, John," she said.

"Work!" said Mr. Hamilton, gravely; "why, Prudence, the world has never seen anything like it. Business of all kinds is crippled for lack of help. The world is crying out for willing hands and willing hearts. Industry never before was at such a premium. Every man who can lift an ounce should get under the load. Millions upon millions of men in Europe have been drawn by war from the productive ranks, and in this country the drain upon industry already mounts into the hundreds of thousands of men. How the world is to be fed and clothed is a problem the solution of which it is difficult to see. By strenuous efforts we have raised, or are raising, a tremendous crop of food stuffs, but millions of dollars' worth of this will rot in the fields from sheer lack of harvesters. Mills and factories in Oneonta as elsewhere, are rushed to the limit and find it impossible to keep up with the world's needs. Lumber, steel, iron, textiles, manufactured goods of all kinds are demanded far beyond our capacity produce, and our best efforts are hampered by the inability of the transportation companies to meet the pressure. Every idle man to-day is a barnacle on the ship's bottom, a clog, an encumbrance, a broken cog in the wheel of industry. He is an enemy to his community, to the nation, to civilization itself!"

"And how about the women, John?"

"The women? Why, Prue, the women are doing wonders. England and France would be naked and starving to-day were it not for the women. Right in our own country they are our only hope at this minute, unless we are to experience such conditions as I dread to contemplate—conditions of constantly growing scarcity and constantly rising prices. The time has come, Prue, when no man should do or be permitted to do any work which a woman can perform. There is work to-day for every able-bodied man, work such as women are physically unfit for. It is every man's duty to do a man's part and to leave to the women such work as they can do as well or better. The Pennsylvania Railroad is already employing women and girls by the thousand, and other great industrial corporations are following suit. Even now women are working in the freight department of the New York Central at Utica, and they are being employed in constantly increasing numbers at the Savage Arms in that city, doing work which none but men did a few weeks ago, but which it has been demonstrated women can do as well as men.

"Every woman who goes to work helps, helps as she never could have helped in the world's history. And she helps most when by working she releases a man to be employed at something necessary which, with all her willingness, she is unable to do. The drone to-day, Prudence, rich or poor, male or female, is a leech robbing industry of its good red blood, and should be condemned."

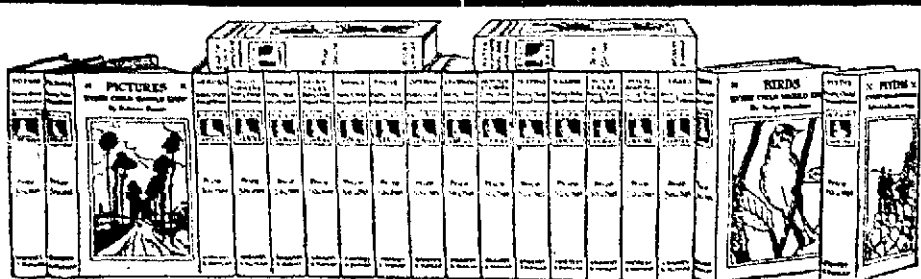
"How about your own daughters, John? How about Kate and Jessie?"

"My daughters! Well—well—you see—you know, Prudence, that Kate and Jessie have never been brought up to believe that work—that women—"

"That's just it, John. You are responsible for their bringing up, but, thank heavens, they've got a lot of common sense in spite of their bringing up. And they've got some big surprise in store for you, John. But, here they come now.

(To be Continued To-morrow.)

"Every Woman Who Works Helps Win the War"



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We have just added several complete series of books for Children, among which are the following:

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